

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of : Richard Joseph BENNETT *et al.*  
Application No. : 09/784,889  
Filed : February 16, 2001  
Title : METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR ORDERING A  
LABORATORY TEST FOR A PATIENT AND  
OBTAINING RESULTS THEREOF

Art Unit : 3626

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**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

A five-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b) to April 11, 2007, is hereby requested to file the Appeal Brief in this matter. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-4270.

Respectfully submitted,

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